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REQUEST FOR PLACEMENT OF REFERENCES IN APPLICATION FILE

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Sir:

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References To Be Placed In Application File:

Japanese Office Action for JP 2006-519319 (with English Translation)

JP 2002-318780 (with English Abstract)

JP 2002-189604 (with English Abstract)

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Respectfully submitted,

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